Stupidity, Two Kinds. 4 Great Talkers, 1 Silent. Why Prince Paul? Burmese Wives.

By ARTHUR BRISBANE (Copyright, 1930).

Betting eight to one on Harding. It might as well be a million to one. Here and there bets have been made at fifty to one. The absence of a Democratic party this year helps to explain the weird odds. Some men presumably will vote for Cox, but they do not say so, because their friends would laugh. That is new in a national election.

A stupidly offensive cartoon was made by an ill-advised understrapper in the employ of the Republican committee and sent to various newspapers. Telegrams were immediately sent three weeks ago by the committee condemning the cartoon and forbidding its publication. One newspaper, of small circulation, foolishly published it.

THAT particular publication will shly published it.
THAT particular publication will

not affect any vote. Only an idiot would allow a matter with which Senator Harding had no connection direct or indirect to

But many Democratic news-papers have widely published this cartoon, thinking to help Mr. Cox, and their action, offensive to religous sentiment, ought to cost the Democrats many votes.

It all matters little, for, as every sane man knows, at this moment Senator Harding is elected and Mr. Cox is beaten. Only the size of the majority remains

The world's greatest orators, perhaps, were Demosthenes, Socrates, Mirabeau, and Burke. A well written article, describing all four of them, would interest nine hundred out of a thousand less than the news story about silent Pat Hanley, who spent ten years in prison without ever saying a word. writes that he once talked too much, which got him into trouble, and has never spoken since. Doctors believe that he could not talk now if he tried

The world likes queer things. Ancient rulers bought hideous dwarfs and creatures malformed by surgical operations. haven't changed entirely.

The New York Evening Post is owned by Mr. Lamont, of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. Innocently striving to "act like an editor," Mr. Lamont writes to Mr. Gay, who runs his paper for him, saying: "I intend to vote for Cox and Roosevelt. My chief reason is that Cox is for the League of Nations and I am for it. Senator Harding in A sum of the League of Nations and I am for it. Harding is against the League of Nations and I am against him." He might have added, "And so it is with every member of my firm. There you have some more votes for Senator Harding, although he does not need them.

The frogs asked Jupiter for a He sent them a log, on which they perched, but were not satisfied. He sent them a savage bird that devoured them. You read that without surprise.

Savage African tribes want a king, to lead them, to think for them, and kill them if he thinks That does not surprise you. But it is surprising that the people of Greece, with thousands of years of highest intelligence behind them, should allow Prince Paul, a boy of nineteen, to be put up as "King of Greece." A nation keen intelligence, you would think, might rule itself.

Suppose Paul of Greece and Alfonso of Spain should meet incognito in a cabaret in Paris and should quarrel about some young lady with twinkling toes, then go home and nurse a war. The League of Nations nonsense would give to this country the proud privilege of helping to pay the bills and supply men for the fight-

This country might well say to Europe: "When you have sufficient democracy, common sense and self-respect to get along without kings, come over and talk to us about a League."

Mr. Cox says he wants a League of Nations "so that the angels again can sing, 'Peace on earth, good will to men,' as they did twenty centuries ago." If Mr. Cox will look over his famous battles of the world he will see that quite a few of them happened within the past twenty centuries. It is one thing for the angels to sing about peace, another to make men stop fighting. A League of Nations encouraging war in Europe by making the United States responsible for the bills, besides supplying men, would make the angels feel more discouraged than ever about peace on earth.

Sworn testimony shows that workmen in one small single union were blackmailed to the tune of \$16,000 a week by an individual who, in turn, acting as their representative, blackmailed employers for higher pay, while the em-ployers robbed investors. Nice

combination. What vast sums labor unions, wisely led, could raise for their own protection, their own fights, and for permanent prosperity.

There is agitation, financial, near the "old mulmein Padoga, looking eastward to the sea." The young gentlemen of Burmah, says the Reverend Mr. Cope, mission-ary, can no longer afford to buy wives. The price has gone up be-yond reason. The Burmese, how-

SINN FEIN TROOPS IN DEMONSTRATION AT M'SWINEY'S BIER

WEATHER:

night and Friday, Modcrate northwest to west winds. Temperature at 8 a. m., 60 degrees.

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THREE CENTS EVERYWHERE

D. C. TO BE TAXED \$14,000,000 NEXT YEAR

Wife, Broken In Health by Long Vigil, Is Unable to Attend Funeral.

U. S. FLAGS IN PROCESSION

Police Guard Streets Black With Humanity Gathered to Watch Marchers.

DUBLIN, Oct. 28 .- Military cadets raided the offices of the Gaelic League today, seizing the safe. Troops in armored cars made raids in different parts of the city.

By WILLIAM L. MALLABAR. International News Service. LONDON, Oct. 28.—Amidst heart

rending scenes of emotion, funeral services were conducted today at St. George's Roman Catholic Cathedral, Southwark, for the late Terence Mc-Swiney, lord mayor of Cork, who died in the seventy-fourth day of his hunger strike at Brixton jail. A daramtic incident occurred in the

athedral just before Archbishop Mannix, of Australia, opened the services. Four men, who had made their way to the altar, threw off their long cloaks and stood before the cutafalque attired in uniforms of the Sinn Fein army with swords in their

HIS WIFE COLLASPES.

Mrs. Muriel McSwiney, widow of public funeral. Relatives said it was doubtful if Mrs. McSwiney would be according to report, that those among land.

Requiem mass was celebrated by Dr. Cotter, Bishop of Portsmouth, games, it is said. while Dr. Amigo, bishop of South-wark, pronounced absolution. The Archbishop of Simla was present. There was an enormous crush of people in front of the cathedral as the hour approached for the service. Those who had hoped to see Mrs. McSwiney, the heroic widow were the strain and was confined to her

the funeral procession were women carrying United States and Sinn Fein

Euston and the vicinity were black with masses of humanity long before the arrival of the marchers. Police men stood in pairs a dozen yards apart on both sides of the streets. Squads of mounted policemen were held in readiness in side streets.

Policemen also marched with the (Continued on Page 2, Column 3.)

STREET DUEL PUTS TWO IN HOSPITALS

Democrat and Republican in Kentucky Shoot Out Differ-

their participant is expected to die.

L. B. Smith, Democrat, former police judge at Krypton village, in the Police judge at Krypton village, in the Police judge at Krypton village, in the Nour converts with long wet records Perry county mountains, is in a Lex- are asked to remain at the mourners ngton hospital, shot through both bench for the usual probationary pe thighs, while Dr. Cecil Young, of riod." Krypton, Republican and leading physician, is dying in a hospital at Hazard, Ky. Smith said last night the trouble was wholly due to differences ver the Presidential race.

Smith and Young had been good friends. On October 17 Young's son vas selling Republican newspapers in Krypton. Smith bought all the boy had and when some one asked what he intended to do with so many Smith responded he intended to throw them into the river, as he was a Democrat. Late yesterday, Smith said, Young passed him and Smith said to Young "Don't shoot me in the back." Smith said both reached for their pistols Then they squared off, duelist fashon. Smith fired five shots, three of which struck Young, while Young fired four or five times, two of which

TODAY

ever, should not complain. In this country young men cannot afford to take a wife for nothing, and if they take wives, they cannot find a place in which to put them.

The Times Election Service

Information concerning the national election will be furnished free to anybody Tuesday afternoon and evening. Just call

Main 5480

(The regular Times switchboard will not handle election information.)

tors Have Been Receiving

Illegal Compensation.

"Representatives of the Depart-

ment of Justice have information

Virginia coal operators, today.

prosecute all offenders.

bution.

TO EXPOSE METHODS,

body of coal operators, the railroads

and the Interstate Commerce Com-

mission will soon expose the unfair

practices that have been connected

with the railroad handling of coal

The Attorney General's office to-

At the Interstate Commerce Com-

Alabama Farmers Arrested

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Oct. 28 .- A

mall country church on the Cullman

Blount county line was the rendezvous

of the alleged night riders who posted

gins and stores with noticess to close down until cotton was quoted at 40

for Posting Gins.

"The joint efforts of the whole

U. S. INVESTIGATING.

Friction at Annapolis Over Haz- Operators Claim That Distribuing Threatens to Disrupt Football Team.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Oct. 28.— Friction at the Naval Academy resulting from measures taken to prevent hazing, two cases of which are admitted to have been detected, threaten to compel cancellation of the Army-Navy football game. UPPER CLASSMEN IRATE.

It is said that the senior and junior classman resent the means taken by the late lord mayor, collapsed today the authorities to prevent hasing, under the long strain of her husband's confinment in Brixton is and his hunger-strike in prison. She was unable to participate in the public funeral. Relatives cold it was

So incensed are the upper classmen, ball team have threatened to "lay ductors of freight trains and local Should such disposition become little importance," Baker said. "The manifest, it is held certain the game chain of graft extends to the men

with West Point and possibly others higher up as well, and many officials will be canceled. Football has be. of railroads have been compensated, come involved, it is said, because so it is claimed, for issuing false under present rigid curtailment of permits and assignment or cars." lowing the Georgetown game a district of the form Saturday would be denied.

The rumored friction, it is reported, gate all those charges.

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PREDICTS DEFEA OF RUM SPONSORS

Anti-Saloon League Official Asserts Prohibition Supporters Will Be Elected.

not be repealed and the voters will and will partly eradicate evils of the not allow it to be nullified," declared coal business," Bakef said. Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel of the Anti-Saloon League, today, in day denied any knowledge of car, making a prediction of victory for distributors receiving compensation "dry" candidates at the polls on next for manipulation of coal car distri-Tuesday.

The fight for the election of "wet" andidates has now narrowed down o about twenty-two Congressional ences in Code Fashion.

districts, according to Wheeler.

"The liquor forces oppose suffrage was said that J. W. Griggs in charge banks and labor banks working toirst real battle of the present cam- instate beer and wine," Wheeler said. Cleveland, might have such informapaign in Kentucky caused a casualty "The reaction against the beer and to each party, but the Republicans wine campaign has gotten so strong likely will be the greatest loser, for that many wet canddates are now their participant is expected to die.

SYLVIA PANKHURST **GIVEN 6 MONTHS FOR SEDITION**

LONDON, Oct. 28. - Sylvia Pankhurst, associate editor of The Workers' Dreadnought," was today sentenced to six months' imprisonment on the charge of circulating seditious literature in the Since Miss Pankhurst's arrest

during a raid on the offices of "The Workers' Dreadnought" ten days ago, charges have be n lodged at Bow street police station against an unnamed man who was accused of carrying communications be-The government alleged that "The Workers' Drandnought" was supported by the British Communists, or the British branch of the Third Internationale,

cents a pound, according to officers who returned here last night after assisting in the arrest of forty-seven All of the suspects lived within a radius of five miles of Arab, a small ommunity in Blount county and were omparatively young men, most of them owners of farms and reasonably prosperous, the officers said. The arrests followed investigations

W. J. Williams, State fire marshal, and Conrad Austin, chief of the law enforcement squad. The latter aid he had evidence enough to con vict all of those arrested, who will be charged with conspiring to commit a felony and uttering threats verbally and in writing.

Federation Secretary and Machinists' Head Promise Aid in Fight on Bankers.

> By MILDRED MORRIS. International News Service.

American Federation of Labor, and William H. Johnston, head of the Innotified farmers in session here that labor will join with agricultural interests in a movement to secure extension of credit for producers and to map out a political

POWERFUL ALLIANCE.

This was the first step in a plan for a powerful alliance between la-bor and the agricultural interests. "Profiteering capitalists are playing the farmers against labor," Frank Morrison said, addressing the conferand it is time that we got together. We must combine to eliminate the profiteer.

Morrison said that the American Federation of Labor will aid the farmers to secure sufficient credit to neet their present crisis. He said that the federation will join with the farmers in opposing "monopolistic control of the packing industry," and which indicates that more than thir- in waging a fight for public owner-

ty car distributors in different parts railroads. of the country have been receiving The conference which opened here today under the auspieces of the Nacompensation for displacing and placing coal cars, and that a system is expected to perfect the alliance.

of petty graft has extended to the piers, where dumpers and inspectors ference and called for an alliance bearing of the Farmers' National Council, addressed the conference and called for an alliance bearing or property of the tional Board of Farm Organizations have been 'fixed,' " said Gibbs L. | tween the farmers and labor to work Baker, counsel for the northern West for a program embracing legislation for the extension of short-time loans to farmers, public ownership of the railroads and merchant marine, direct marketing and termination of The system extends even to con-

Martin Amorous, of Cobb county down" during the coming football agents of the railroads at points Georgia, announced that he would which are ordinarily considered of seek a conference with Samuel Gompers, relative to the proposed alliance

SOLUTION IS CO-OPERATION. A proposal to fuse the financial resources of both labor and farmers and cars," organize co-operative banks throughout liberty the customary privileges fol- Baker added. He said he had been the country will be part of the program informed that the Department of presented to the representatives of

> cording to Baker, at which matters ized labor. To illustrate the potenconcerning grafting by railroad offi- tialities of an alliance such as procials and employes were discussed at posed, they pointed out that when the length and directions given to en- farmers of the non-Partisan League force regulations violated and to of North Dakota were recently denied further lons by the bankers, According to Baker the Depart- they were able through help secured ment of Justice cannot reach the of- from labor, to get enough money to fenders under the Lever law but the move their crops. The Chicago Fed- New York headquarters raised \$411.25. Interstate Commerce Commission eration of Labor and other unions withdrew their deposits from banks 50, the Chicago headquarters \$53,-in various cities and transferred them 041.51, and the San Francisco headto the non-Partisan League Bank in !

"The same interests fighting the said Arthur Holman, of the National charged to publicity. Campaign but-Board of Farm Organizations. "The banker is the common enemy of both. publicity items were: Advertising. By uniting their resources they can \$44.250.45; plates, \$2,000; printing, fight this power with its own weapon 33.081.98; lithos, \$9,000, and expense,

"The time has come for agriculture and labor to unite for mutual welfare and for the welfare of the public. They have awakened to the realiza tion that their fundamental interests mission it was stated that there was are the same.

no information there to substantiate of car distribution, with offices in gether could wield a tremendous Cleveland, might have such informa- power. As things look now the only hope of the farmer lies in co-operation with labor."

ENGLAND DECLARES AT VILLAGE CHURCH **COAL STRIKE** SETTLED Forty-three Prosperous Young

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The coal strike has been definitely settled, it was officially announced this afternoon. The official announcement was made subsequent to a meeting of the cabinet and a conference between representatives of the government and the striking coal miners.

According to the Central News Agency, the terms of the settlement have to be subjected to a referendum ballot of the coal miners and approved before they become effective.

LABOR JOINS IN Cox Hopes of Victory Will Be Wrecked Upon FARMERS' WAR Fealty to Article Ten S\$23,000,000

John Snure, for more than ten years political expert of The Washington Times, today presents the fifth of a series of articles giving "close up" impressions of the present campaign. Mr. Snure, although an interested partisan, is recognized as a writer of independence and reliability. Another article will appear in an early issue.

By JOHN SNURE.

CHICAGO. Oct. 28.—It will soon be time for the post mortems. In little more than a week, thousands of political Frank Morrison, secretary of the philosophers, with the election returns at hand, will be more Financiers Think Limit of Revor less wisely expatiating on the real issues and real causes ternational Machinists' Union, today underlying this campaign and the decision of it by the

What are the real issues on which+ It is just as well to examine into has to be borne in mind, of course this question now. It is already being widely asked and it will be stu-died and commented on even more freely after November 2, after the

OPPOSED TO WILSON.

If the assumption is true that Harding and Coolidge are going to be elected by a large majority in the electoral college-by a landslide as the Republican leaders predict,-what is it that is happening to shake loose the grip the Wilson administration and the Democratic party have had on the government since 1913? It

was in reality a forerunner of the one this year. A great many Democratic members of the House and Senate, as well as many political experts of that party, have had little hope since then of winning the elec-

\$823,345.09 SPENT WILSON HEARS PLEA

Campaign Statement of Democrats Shows \$150,000 Expended Was Borrowed.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.-The Demobursed to date \$823,345.09, according to a statement given out today at republic. the office of W. W. Marsh, treasurer. The total disbursements are tabu-

ated as follows: New York headquarters, \$757,715 .-

Woman's bureau, \$1,339.30 Chicago, \$51,443.34. San Francisco headquarters, \$12,-847.21.

Receipts of \$878,831.24 are acknowledged in Treasurer Marsh's statement. Of this \$150,000, it is stated, is loan. Contributions of more than \$100 received by New York headquarters totaled \$488,430.05. Contributions of sums under \$100

totaled \$176,640.03. From the sale of text books the The woman's bureau raised \$8,544 .quarters \$1,763.90.

tons were down for \$31,676. Other cerned over present conditions \$830.91.

GRANTS EXTRADITION FOR OREGON GIRL KIDNAPER

N. Y. Governor Remands Tacoma Woman for Trial.

NEW YORK. Oct. 28.-Governor Smith announced yesterday he would last night. This is the second death grant application by the State of Washington for extradition of Miss Betty Brainard, Tacoma newspaper woman, charged with having kid-naped the two-year-old son of George T. Stagg from his mother's home in that city. The governor said he would sign the papers today. The governor granted the day's delay to give Miss Brainard's counsel an opportunity to prepare further papers in the case.

Miss Brainard's attorney attempted to show that the kidnaping was done by the boy's father and that she had ommitted no crime. Mrs. Ada Cunningham, grandmother of the child, who came from Tacoma, and Capt, John H. Strickland, of the Tacoma police, attended the hearing.

PRIVATE RAIN STORM

Central, are raking in much money. For over two weeks there has been SPAIN REJECTS OFFER a light rainfall there covering a limed area about twenty feet square. So many visitors have come the freak that a son of Mr. and Mrs. Hileman stands at the gate and charges 25 cents admission. he collected over 600 admis-

that this grip was much shaken in the election two years ago, when the asked to contribute about \$14,000,-Republicans were able to capture the House and Senate in the face of the ment for the next fiscal year. These ballots are counted and the dissection appeal of Mr. Wilson to the country figures were announced today. to support his administration by electing a Democratic House and a District have been appraised as follows: Ground, \$213,785,134; im-As things look now, that election

provements, \$221,005,933, making a (Continued on Page 19, Column 7.)

Recognition Appeal From American Delegation.

cratic National Committee has dis- State Colby today are considering an irgent appeal, n Secretary Colby last night received

delegation, headed by Frank P. an appeal for recognition of the its upkeep for the next fiscal year, irish republic. He was presented a will mean that the estimates of the mass of data tending to show that Commissioners will be slightly below the Irish republic is an actual fact \$23,000,000. and was given a number of prece-

dents. Eamon De Valera, President of Republic made a direct appeal to the President for recogni-White House. Secretary Colby withheld his de-

cision and it is probable that he per cent of the expenses of the city, will confer with the President before making any direct reply to the appeal. While officials of the State De-

partment refused to make any prelieved here that the Government will mean that a rate of from 31/2 to 4 per not take any step toward immediate cent would be assessed upon rea recognition of the Irish repbulic, al- estate, it was said. Treasurer Marsh's statement gave though the State Department may commitments as of October 25 as see fit to address a communication farmer are fighting organized labor," \$139,854.69. Of this \$121,109.34 was to Great Britain stating that many higher tax rate than is paid in any American citizens are deeply con- other city in the country.

PATENT ATTORNEY DIES AT CAPITAL RESIDENCE

T. Walter Fowler, Brother of Health Officer, Succumbs.

T. Walter Fowler, patent attorney and brother of Dr. William C. Fowler, District Health Officer, died at his home, 3712 Patterson street northwest this year in the Fowler family, the mother having died five months ago. Funeral arrangements are being made today. In the absence of Dr. Fowler, Dr. John L. Norris is acting health officer. Mr. Fowler was sixty-one years old

and was in the patent business here for about forty years. He is survived by his wife and son; Thomas Fowler, his father; William C., J. Ed-ward and Chapman Fowler, brothers. and Suey F. and Belle Fowler, sisters

USE OF SUMMER HOMES URGED TO AID SHORTAGE

BOSTON, Oct. 28 .- Year-round occupancy of summer homes at beach re sorts as a means of relieving the housing shortage was suggested at a hearing today before the State Department of Public Utilities. Summer residents of Hull and Nantasket MAKES FARMER RICH mer residents of Hull and Nantasket PARKERSBURG. W. Va., Oct. 28 .- ing the winter months, and the de-Through a freak of nature on their farm Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Hileman. of of summer trains.

OF \$25,000,000 LOAN

LONDON, Oct. 28.-The offer of a group of American bankers to make i loan of \$25,000,000 to Spain has been rejected, according to a Central News dispatch from Madrid today.

axes on Unimproved Real Estate Are Expected to Yield \$8,478,426.

BUSINESS TO PAY 1 MILLION

enue Production Reached Without Bond Issue.

By DAN. E. O'CONNELL. The District of Columbia will be

total real estate valuation of \$434,-791,067. At the rate of 1.95 per cent a revenue of \$8,478,420 will be

realized. The personal tax, which is about completed will reach a total valuation of more than \$70,000,000, of which taxed at the rate of 1.95 also will yield a revenue of about

BUSINESS TO PAY \$1,000,000. In addition there will be a tax of about \$1,000,000 from banks and pubc service corporations.

President and Colby Consider this year will be slightly more than \$230,000,000, which taxed at the rate of 3.10 of 1 per cent will bring in a revenue of about \$1,000,000. In addition to these taxes about \$1,000,000 will be raised from mis-President Wilson and Secretary of cellaneous sources, such as licenses. The total tax for the next year

citizens, for recognition of the Irish estimates of the Commissioners will The \$14.00.000 to be raised by the District, representing 60 per cent of Walsh, and listened attentively to what the city will have to pay for

The announcement of the tax rate following closely upon the statement of Commissioner Mabel T. Boardman that if the District of Columbia should be granted the right to vote tion, in a statement sent to the and have representation in Congress, the Federal Government would step from under its obligation to pay 40

> cial circles. WOULD MEAN BIG JUMP.

If the Government should step from under and the District be forced dictions today, it was generally be- to pay its entire expenses, it would This would be almost confiscatory.

was the cause for alarm in finan-

Of course, other means of raising money might be discovered, but the belief at the District building today was that all the available sources of revenue had been touched and the only means of meeting the deficit

would be to raise bonds. Washington now raises as much money by taxation as any other city of its size in the country, and to inflict additional taxes on the people here would mean much suffering, it Under the law the new taxes in the

half of them may be paid on No vember 1. HUNGARY RATIFIES TREATY. BUDAPEST, Hungary, Oct. 28 .-Count Paul Teleky, the premier, announced today that the government, after mature reflection, regretfully

proposed that Parliament ratify the

treaty of peace.

District must be paid next May, but

Harding Is 7 to 1 Favorite, With 2 to 1 He Will Carry Ohio

NEW YORK, Oct. 28 .- Betting on the Presidential election was a little more active in the Wall street district today, with money being placed on Harding at odds of

For several days Harding people have been unwilling to pay more han 6 to 1, although Cox men have been demanding 8 to 1.
W. L. Darnell & Co. placed a bet today of \$16,000 against \$2,000 that Harding would be elect 1. They report that they have \$60,000 to offer on the favorite at odds of 6 to 1 and \$2,000 of Cox money waiting to be placed at 10 to 8. There is also some money to be placed at odds of 7 to 5 that Hard-

\$5,000 even money is offered that he carries the State of New York by 300,000. Odds of 2 to 1 are offered that

ing carries Greater New York, and

Harding carries Ohio.